ORDINANCE NO. (New Series)

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER VI, ARTICLE 7, OF THE SAN DIEGO MUNICIPAL CODE BY AMENDING SECTIONS 67.23 AND 67.29 RELATING TO CONSUMER'S GUARANTEE DEPOSITS FOR WATER SERVICE.

BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, as follows:

Section 1. That Chapter VI, Article 7 of the San
Diego Municipal Code be amended by amending Section 67.23
to read as follows:

- SEC. 67.23 REGULATION OF WATER SYSTEM--CONSUMER'S GUARANTEE DEPOSITS
- 1. Except as otherwise provided herein, consumer's guarantee deposits are required from all applicants for water service.
 - 2. Exceptions to this requirement are:
 - a. Applicants for domestic water service who have no prior record of delinquency concerning water service accounts.
 - b. Applicants for commercial water service who have at least one other active water service account with the City and who have no record of delinquent payments with respect to their water service account(s).
- 3. Deposits as required herein shall be equal to the estimated amount payable by the applicant for three (3) months' water service, but shall in no event be less than Fifteen Dollars (\$15.00).
- Section 2. That Chapter VI, Article 7 of the San
 Diego Municipal Code be amended by amending Section 67.29 to
 read as follows:
 - SEC. 67.29 REGULATION OF WATER SYSTEM--RETURN OF GUARANTEE DEPOSIT
 - 1. Consumer's guarantee deposits may be refunded

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- 2. The Department reserves the right to disallow the refund of any deposits in any twelve (12) month period from date of receipt of deposit where service has been discontinued for nonpayment of account or the account debited for reasons of a check return for insufficient funds.
- 3. The balance of any deposit remaining after the closing bill for service has been settled will be returned promptly, provided nothing is owing to the Department by the depositor for water delivered to any former address.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force on the thirtieth day from and after its passage.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

By C. M. Fitzpatrick, Chief Deputy

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